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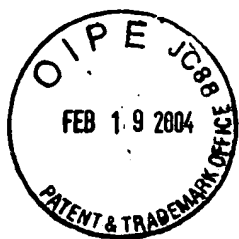
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REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.194, Appellant respectfully requests an oral hearing in the present case. A check is enclosed in the amount of \$145.00 for the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(d). Appellant's brief pursuant to 37 CFR 1.194 is being filed contemporaneously herewith.

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